

## Message Text

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ACTION EA-12

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 EB-08 COME-00 TRSE-00 CIAE-00  
INR-10 NSAE-00 SS-15 SP-02 /058 W  
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R 100807Z MAR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY DAKAR  
TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 3189  
AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN  
AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM  
AMEMBASSY LAGOS

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PGOV, ECON, JA, SG  
SUBJECT: JAPANESE ECONOMIC MISSION TO AFRICA

REF: TOKYO 2710

1. FIVE-MAN JAPANESE ECONOMIC MISSION VISITED DAKAR  
FEBRUARY 25-28 AND MET WITH PRIME MINISTER ABDOU DIOUF AND  
MINISTERS OF PLAN AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT. BRIEF ARTICLE  
IN DAKAR DAILY QUOTED HEAD OF TEAM NAKUMURA AS SAYING VISIT  
UNDERScores COMMITMENT TO COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES.

2. COMMENT: VISIT CAME AT TIME WHEN ENTIRE SENEGALESE  
GOVERNMENT WAS PREOCCUPIED WITH FEBRUARY 26 PRESIDENTIAL  
AND LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS. JAPANESE FIRST SECRETARY  
KAWAGOE TOLD EMBOFF DELEGATION WAS UNABLE TO SEE MINISTERS  
OF FINANCE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT WHO WERE AWAY VOTING IN  
THEIR HOME DISTRICTS. KAWAGOE ADDED THAT TEAM, WHICH  
CONSISTED OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM MFA AND MINISTRY OF  
INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY AND THREE PRIVATE  
SECTOR TYPES, MADE NO COMMITMENTS TO SPECIFIC AID OR  
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TRADE PROJECTS. HE CHARACTERIZED VISIT AS CORDIAL

ORIENTATION TO SENEGAL. JAPANESE-SENEGALESE ECONOMIC/  
COMMERCIAL RELATIONS CONTINUE TO BE GUIDED BY BILATERAL  
COMMERCIAL ACCORD SIGNED LAST OCTOBER (COPY BEING POUCHED  
TO TOKYO). PURELY BY COINCIDENCE JUST TWO DAYS AFTER  
TEAM DEPARTED TWO TRAWLERS AND 1,000 OUTBOARD MOTORS

OF JAPANESE MANUFACTURE ARRIVED AS PART OF GRANT  
NEGOTIATED IN OCTOBER ACCORD.  
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